



Weather Report

Monday, March 21, 2016

Yesterday

High Temperature	36°
Average High	39°
Record High	60°
Low Temperature	26°
Average Low	20°
Record Low	3°
New Snow	2"
Current Snow Depth	120"
Avg. Snow Depth this Date	119"
Percent of Average	101%
Snow Since October 1	401"
Avg. Snowfall by this Date	414"
Percent of Average	97%
New Precipitation (Melted)	0.9"
Precip. (Melted) Since Oct. 1	62"
Avg. Precip. by this Date	49"
Percent of Average	126%
High & low temperatures are from 8 AM yesterday to 8 AM today. Data is from Park Headquarters, elevation 6,470 feet. Period of record is 1931 to the present.	
❖ Average Annual Snowfall	524"
❖ Greatest Snowfall in One Winter	835"
❖ Avg. Annual Precipitation (Melted)	66"
❖ All-Time Highest Recorded Temp.	90°
❖ All-Time Lowest Recorded Temp.	-21°
Sunset Tonight 7:22 PM	Sunrise Tomorrow 7:07 AM



Forecast

Today: Snow before 11am, then snow showers after 11am. Some thunder is also possible. High near 34. Windy, with a south southwest wind 28 to 30 mph, with gusts as high as 45 mph. Chance of precipitation is 100%. Total daytime snow accumulation of 3 to 5 inches possible.

Tonight: Snow showers. Low around 20. West southwest wind 15 to 20 mph, with gusts as high as 30 mph. Chance of precipitation is 100%. New snow accumulation of 3 to 5 inches possible.

Tuesday: Snow showers. High near 33. West wind 13 to 17 mph, with gusts as high as 26 mph. Chance of precipitation is 80%. New snow accumulation of 2 to 4 inches possible.

Tuesday Night: A 30 percent chance of snow showers, mainly before 11pm. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 16. West northwest wind 9 to 11 mph. New snow accumulation of less than a half inch possible.

Wednesday: Partly sunny, with a high near 38. West southwest wind 9 to 11 mph.

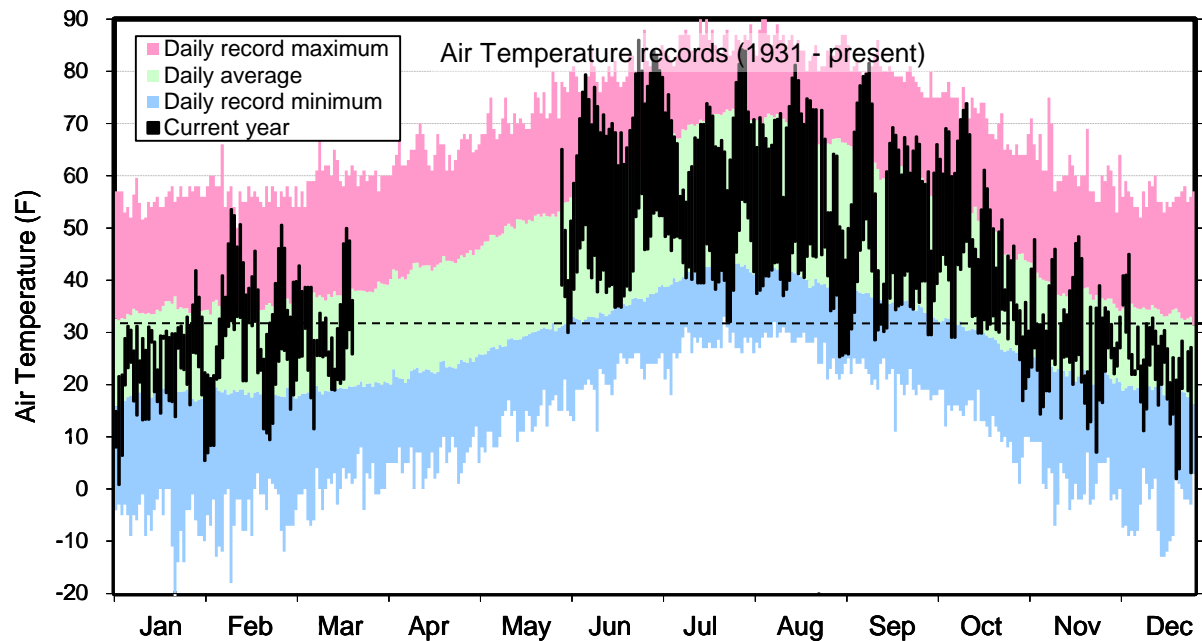
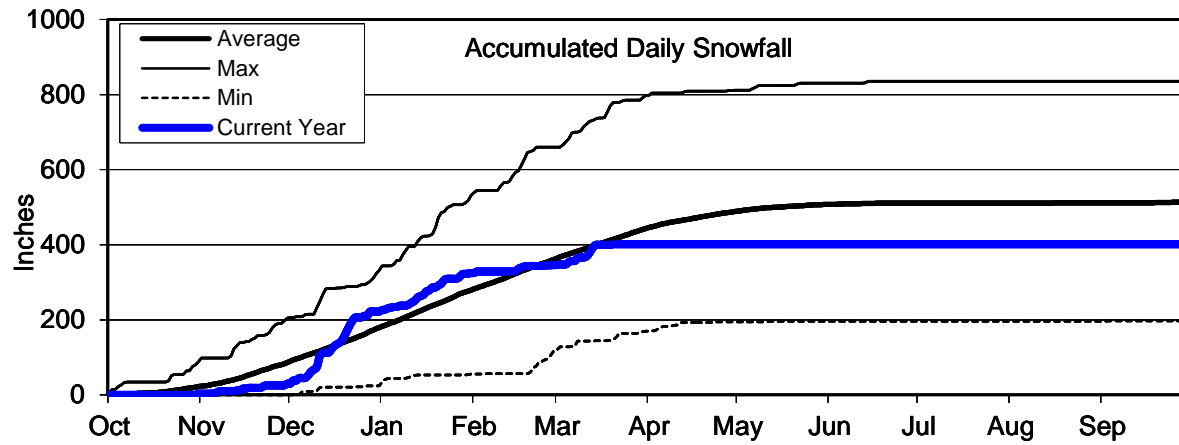
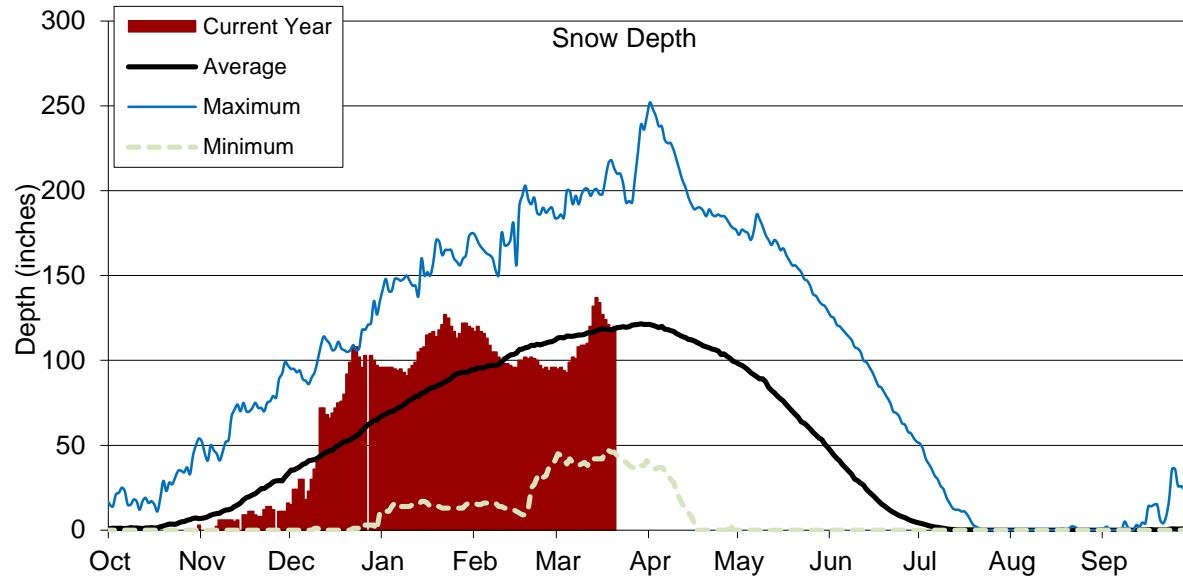
Wednesday Night: A 40 percent chance of snow, mainly after 11pm. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 24. New snow accumulation of less than one inch possible.

Thursday: A 40 percent chance of snow. Mostly cloudy, with a high near 40. New snow accumulation of less than one inch possible.

Thursday Night: A slight chance of snow showers. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 23.

Friday: Mostly sunny, with a high near 37. Breezy.

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Status of Park Roads:

Hwy 62:	OPEN
Hwy 62 to Park Headquarters:	OPEN
Park Headquarters to the Rim:	OPEN
West Rim Drive:	CLOSED
East Rim Drive:	CLOSED
Pinnacles Road:	CLOSED
North Entrance Road:	CLOSED

Status of Park Buildings:

Dispatch: 7:30am-4:30pm	OPEN
Steel Information Center: (10:00-4:00pm)	OPEN
Post Office: (10am-2pm), (Closed Sundays & holidays).	OPEN
Rim Village Café and Gift Shop: (10:00am-5:00pm)	OPEN

The Following are **CLOSED for the season**

Rim Visitor Center:	CLOSED
Sinnott Memorial Overlook and Exhibition Room:	CLOSED
Annie Creek Restaurant:	CLOSED
Annie Creek Gift Shop:	CLOSED
Crater Lake Lodge:	CLOSED
Mazama Gas Station	CLOSED
Mazama Camper Store	CLOSED
Mazama Cabins:	CLOSED

Status of Park Campgrounds

Mazama Campground:	CLOSED
Lost Creek Campground:	CLOSED
Backcountry Camping: Any overnight camping requires a backcountry permit. Please visit a Visitor Center or Crater Lake Dispatch for details.	OPEN

Crater Lake Trail Report- March 21, 2016

Winter Ski Trails:



Following trails are **OPEN**

Raven trail
West Rim trail
Pumice Flat trail
Mazama Trail
Dutton Creek trail
East Rim trail
Hemlock trail

North Entrance Road snowmobile Route

OPEN

Pets in the Park:



Pets on a leash of no more than 6 feet are allowed up to 50ft off a road, established parking area, developed campground, or designated picnic area, All pet solid waste must be cleaned up and placed in trash cans. Pets are allowed on the following trails during the winter:

- Pacific Crest Trail (Main route only, on 6ft leash at all times, must pick-up waste)

The alternate PCT route along the west rim of the lake is closed to dogs.

Please remember the following rules when bringing a pet on the above mentioned trails:

- Hikers with pets must yield by side stepping off trail and controlling pet when meeting hikers without pets or stock.
- PCT hikers must have pet leashed at all times when in the Park, including when camping.
- **Please remember to pick up after your pet.**

PCT hikers can deposit pet excrement in the trash or bury it 6 inches deep and 100ft way from any water source, developed trail, or back country camp site.

911 Emergency Reminder:

When dialing from a park phone, please remember you must dial 9-911. Also, be aware there is a delay. Dial 9-911 and wait for the connection.